



Office of Recovery Act Coordination

Department of Health and Human Services

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Recovery Act:

Nevada Highlights

Since the enactment of the Recovery Act in 2009, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has made **\$582.8 million in stimulus funds available in the State of Nevada*** for community health care centers, universities and other institutions in the state to provide fiscal relief, improve and expand access to health care, provide child care and other social services for its most vulnerable citizens, establish the infrastructure for health information technology, and conduct scientific research.



This includes:

- **\$457.1 million** for the increased Federal share (FMAP) of State Medicaid costs as of Jan. 1, 2011.
- **\$16.3 million** for community health center services, construction, renovation, equipment and health information technology (IT), including:
 - **\$2 million** for Health Access Washoe County in Reno for new service sites, increased demand, construction and equipment.
- **\$15.4 million** for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).
- **\$14.8 million** for the Child Care and Development Fund to increase access to child care and to improve quality.
- **\$14.6 million** for the Communities Putting Prevention to Work Initiative for the Southern Nevada Health District in Clark County for tobacco prevention; and **\$1.2 million** for State programs targeting obesity and tobacco.
- **\$11.9 million** for Early Head Start and Head Start programs to expand and improve quality.
- **\$7.1 million** for scientific research and facilities, including:
 - **\$2.6 million** for research on sepsis pathology, organ damage and dysfunction at Research and Diagnostic Antibodies.
 - **\$561,000** for research at the University of Nevada, Reno, on suicide prevention for college students.
- **\$6.1 million** for the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services to facilitate health information exchange.
- **\$5.3 million** for the Community Services Block Grant for community action agencies to help low-income residents become self-sufficient.
- **\$995,000** for immunization programs.
- **\$846,000** for meals and nutrition services for the elderly.
- **\$550,000** to support 11 National Health Service Corps clinicians providing primary health care services in Health Professional Shortage Areas.
- **\$544,000** through the Indian Health Service, including funds from the EPA for sanitation facilities, medical equipment and maintenance and improvement.
- **\$376,000** for State efforts to fight healthcare-associated infections.

**The total amount in this document, except for FMAP Medicaid and foster care, adoption assistance and guardianship programs, is based on the HHS Dec. 31, 2010, Financial and Activity Report (FAR) for the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, available at the Department's website, <http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/reports/index.html>. The FMAP amounts are based on Jan. 1, 2011, data from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and the Administration for Children and Families. The highlights are a selection of programs funded by the Recovery Act and do not add up to the total ARRA funding within the State. These dollar amounts for individual programs are based on the Dec. 31, 2011, financial report, as well as agency grantee lists and HHS releases. For more information about individual HHS programs and Recovery Act funding, see <http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/>.*